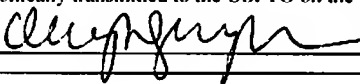


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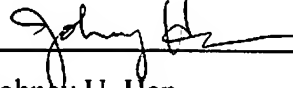
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Applicants respectfully request that **Figure 43A** be published as the representative figure for the above referenced issuing application. Applicants submit herewith a Supplemental Application Data Sheet designating the suggested figure, which is being concurrently filed with payment of the issue fee via EFS-Web.

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